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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: SHIGETOMI ET AL. Examiner: PEYTON
Serial No.: 09/912,711 Group Art Unit: 2182
Filed: JULY 25, 2001 Docket No.: 14449.2USC1
Title: STORAGE MEDIA HAVING ELECTRONIC CIRCUIT AND COMPUTER
SYSTEM INCLUDING STORAGE MEDIA

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed June 16, 2005, said period of response being extended from September 16, 2005 to December 16, 2005.

Our check in the amount of \$510.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

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Respectfully submitted,

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